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SHIP'S CREW LOST IN ATLANTIC OCEAN

Ss. Princess Norah Given Civic Welcome

New C.P.R. Boat Completes Maiden Trip From Clyde

Harbor, Shipping and Industrial Plants Extend Noisy Welcome to Newest Addition to Company's Fleet; Alderman James Adam Greets Capt. C. C. Sainty With Presentation of New Ensign; Chamber of Commerce Plans Public Luncheon on Friday

NORAH FINE STEAMER FOR COAST RUN

Ship Which Arrived To-day Latest Thing in Marine Architecture

Will Provide Seaworthy and Comfortable Passage to Points on West Coast

"She's a little beauty and behaved wonderfully all the way," was Capt. C. C. Sainty's comment regarding the new C.P.R. steamer Princess Norah which reached port this morning after her long trip from Govan on the Clyde.

A NOISY WELCOME

The new steamer was met at quarantine by the steamer Salvage King, conveying company officials, newspapermen and newspapermen. The Salvage King convoyed the Norah into port and as the vessel passed up the harbor she was greeted by noisy blasts from the sirens of shipping and industrial plants.

Without delay the welcoming parties boarded the Princess Norah as soon as the boat had been warped alongside the dock. They were received on board by Capt. Sainty.

CIVIC WELCOME

As chairman of the civic reception committee, Alderman James Adam complimented Capt. Sainty in bringing the Princess Norah safely to port and spoke in eulogistic terms of the company's studied policy in building up its steamship services on the coast as reflected in the present fleet of which Victoria is the home port. He spoke in congratulatory terms of the work of the builders, the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company, in turning out such a splendid example of the shipbuilding craft.

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Unemployed Join In March

Scottish and Welsh Parties Will Urge London Government to Increase Aid

Glasgow, Jan. 23.—A march of unemployed workers on London was started to-day with 100 Scottish shipyard workmen and coal miners left here Saturday morning en route to start from other points in Scotland and South Wales converging on London, with the hope of influencing the Government to increase the assistance to those without work.

The Trades Union Congress is officially discouraging the march. It is stated the journey in bad weather will entail great hardships on men already suffering from the effects of long unemployment, and is likely to achieve no useful object. A similar march was organized in 1927 by A. J. Cook, the miners' leader.

COMMUNIST SPEAKERS IN TORONTO MUST USE ENGLISH

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Those addressing communist meetings in Toronto henceforth are required to do so in the English language.

Soon after the new order had been issued yesterday by Chief of Police Draper, the conference he had with the city police commission, police were called upon to enforce it. Philip Salpera, editor of Kumpf, a Jewish communist weekly, defied the order and delivered an address in Yiddish at a Lenin memorial meeting in a theatre here. He spoke from the platform and after the audience had joined in singing communist songs, an orderly march from the theatre was started amid cheers for Soviet Russia and the revolutionary movement.

The new order was the subject of vigorous attacks at the meeting. Tim Buck, secretary in Canada of the Trade Union Educational League, demanded:

"How far is this ruling going to go? You comrades, must say."

TEAR BOMB THROWN

The meeting broke up in disorder, with some attempting to continue the proceedings and the manager of the theatre ordering those present to leave. The police were deaf openly for a time. A woman was objecting to the order as an instrument of the "capitalists" to silence the communists. She was forced by tears to leave the seat on which she had been standing. Others felt the effects of the bomb and after the audience had joined in singing communist songs, an orderly march from the theatre was started amid cheers for Soviet Russia and the revolutionary movement.

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"Approximately 1,500 persons attended the meeting."

FARMERS MAY QUIT INQUIRY

Saanich Secessionists Want Inquiry Limited in Scope and Cost

Judge P. S. Lampman Orders Adjournment Until Friday After Argument To-day

When Judge P. S. Lampman, Commissioner inquiring into Saanich affairs, opened proceedings this morning at the Court House.

C. H. O'Halloran stopped progress by asserting that 750 farmers, seeking disincorporation, would take no part in the inquiry unless guaranteed against expense for witnesses. He also asked assurances that the inquiry would first deal exclusively with matters relevant to the petition for secession. Other matters could be inquired into later when the farmers would not be adjourned.

Adjournment was granted until Friday morning at 11 o'clock, when the Commissioner will give his ruling and the view of the court presented on the points of expense.

At the Honor had read his commission, H. J. Davis, appeared as commission counsel, A. J. Patton and C. H. O'Halloran represented the petitioners for disincorporation, and E. L. Tait appeared for the municipal council.

SEEKS RESTRICTIONS

Suggestions as to procedure being invited by the Commissioner, Mr. O'Halloran asked adjournment for one week to consider the question of what steps to apply for restriction of the Commission. "Insofar as we are concerned," to matters complained of in the petition for disincorporation which was presented to the Government by 750 farmers of northern Saanich.

He also requested that the expense of an independent expert witness, to be brought by his clients, should be considered an expense of the commission.

FIFTH STEP

The 750 farmers of Saanich who have signed the disincorporation petition represent an assessment of over \$2,000,000. They have borne the full expense of lengthy proceedings preliminary to this hearing, including legislation. This is the fifth important step," Mr. O'Halloran pointed out.

The nature of this commission, cause proceeding largely these weeks, is that Premier Tolmie conferred with heads of the Canadian Pacific Railway, close associate of the Consolidated in Montreal recently and on his return, hinted that smelting and mining matters had been considered.

WATER BOARD PLAN

The next most important announcement in the Throne speech was that "in view of the growing importance of public utilities, the question of the advisability of providing some measure of stricter control is receiving the consideration of my Government."

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Anti-Rum Vote \$24,000,000

Washington, Jan. 23.—The President of the United States will have \$24,000,000 during the coming year to use in an attempt to enforce prohibition more strictly. If the plans of the Senate are carried out.

The prospective appropriation voted yesterday by the Senate and President Coolidge and, if this is forthcoming, the expenditure of the money is expected to fall to the lot of Herbert Hoover because of the short time remaining before March 4.

TO DIVIDE FUND

The only restrictions placed upon the executive in the use of the \$24,000,000 would be that he must allocate the money to departments and bureaus of the departments which have a part in the enforcement of the dry law. He would be able to use all or part of the money as he might see fit.

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Wheat Total Sets Record

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Canada's yield of wheat for the year 1928 was 353,571,700 bushels. This is the highest on record and the first time Canada harvested a crop of more than half a billion bushels. This announcement was made in a crop report issued this afternoon by the Bureau of Statistics.

Approximately 1,500 persons attended the meeting.

IS COMMISSIONER



JUDGE P. S. LAMPMAN

Inquiry into Saanich municipal affairs, opened this morning at the Court House.

COLD FORCES PREMIER TO REMAIN HOME

Premier Tolmie will be confined to his home for a day or two by a cold contracted yesterday at the opening of the Legislature, when he stood on the steps of the Parliament Buildings bareheaded to greet Lieutenant-Governor Bruce. It is expected Attorney-General Pooley will lead the House in his chief's absence.

Death Toll Is Nineteen

Bellevue, Ohio, Jan. 23.—The death toll of yesterday's crash between a Lake Shore electric interurban car and a bus mounted to nineteen to-day with the death of Richard Freeman, thirty, of Cleveland.

Smelter Plan, Utility Control Features of Government Programme

House Is Made Ready For King

Sovereign Expected to Go From London to the Sussex Coast Soon

London, Jan. 23.—It was officially stated at Buckingham Palace this morning that King George's progress to-day with the steel industry in connection with its Trail Smelter is the general belief among members of the Legislature, following the brief announcement in the Speech from the Throne yesterday that the House would be asked to consider legislation to give assistance to the establishment of the iron and steel industry in this Province.

The legislation which will follow this announcement, it is expected, will provide for some form of bounty on steel to assist the Consolidated to go ahead with the steel-making plans which it has had under consideration for many years. The legislation will be introduced in connection with it if the Government will be expected to make some explanation of the precise scheme which it proposes to aid.

It was not expected any further bullet would be issued before to-morrow night.

PREPARE FOR JOURNEY

London, Jan. 23.—Preparations were going forward to-day for the removal of King George to Bognor in Sussex, as soon as his physicians decided the time is opportune. King will travel the 150 miles to the south coast resort in a large car, fitted so he can lie as comfortably as in his bed in Buckingham Palace.

Craigwell House is a large, comparatively modern white stone building, handsome, but not on a palatial scale. Since Sir Arthur D. G. Clegg bought it five years ago he is reputed to have spent \$100,000 improving the property and equipment.

The work being done for the King's arrival includes connecting Craigwell House with Buckingham Palace by telephone, arranging for a staff of 15 to 20 persons to transfer a quantity of linen, tableware and other domestic equipment. It is believed the King's special room will be one of the wings from which he will get a view of the sea through the pine trees, which are a feature of the seceded grounds of the castle. The King will be able to exercise, sheltered from all winds except the warm south wind.

Failure of the King to increase his weight, noted by his doctors, has shown the path to recovery will be a long one.

It is not expected the King will make the journey to Bognor before to-morrow night.

PLANES MAY JOIN SEARCH

Jericho Beach Machine Is Ready to Look For Missing West Vancouver Youth

West Vancouver, Jan. 23.—A new clue was uncovered this morning in the search for Arthur Crawford, West Vancouver, who has been missing since he went hiking on Hollyburn Ridge last Sunday morning.

A little girl named Dodds told Constable Wilson of the local police that a party of girls had told her they had seen a hiker with an injured leg on Hollyburn Ridge Sunday. The police are now trying to find the party of girls in order to question.

There is a possibility a seaplane from the Jericho station may again be sent across the mountains to try and spot Crawford from the air.

At dawn to-day search parties left the Hollyburn ski camp to test the last hope that Crawford might be alive. As they started across the fresh, crisp snow there was still no sign of his trail.

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Aid Given One Disabled Freighter In Atlantic As Another Limps To Bermuda

Searching Vessel Finds No Trace of British Steamship Teesbridge and It Is Believed Crew of Thirty Lost; Expected Ss. America Will Take Crew Off Ss. Florida; Tanker Dannedaik Heading for Bermuda, Using Jury Rudder

Steady Snow Fall Looked For In City

City in For Good Taste of Winter But Snow May Turn to Rain

With snow falling steadily in the city and the temperature low in areas on all sides, there was no end in sight to noon for the precipitation which commenced this morning shortly before 8 o'clock.

Up to noon to-day, about 3 inches of snow had fallen at Gonzales Heights, according to F. Napier Denison of the Meteorological Observatory. In the downtown section the fall seemed a little heavier.

A sudden drop in temperature last night was responsible for the snow, the mercury falling to seventeen degrees, the lowest point recorded here this winter. The recording on the instruments at Gonzales Heights was 24 degrees at the lowest point, but at the foot of the hill, the temperature was down to the lower mark.

TASTE OF WINTER

We seem to be in for a good taste of winter," said Mr. Denison this morning. "Up to now we have escaped any serious cold or snow, but owing to the fact that it is cold in Seattle, Vancouver and all points around the city, it is impossible to say just how soon there will be any relief from this fall."

A light wind was blowing to-day and the forecasters expect that a possible shift in the wind to south would cause a rise in temperature and the snow would turn into rain.

VANCOUVER AREA HAS SNOWFALL

Cold Wave Sweeps State of Washington; Snow Deep at Points

Vancouver, Jan. 23.—Setting a new low record for the winter, the mercury dropped to 17 degrees above zero in Vancouver at 3 a.m. to-day. The previous lowest of the season was 20 above zero.

At 11:30 this forenoon snow had started to fall heavily, the first of the winter.

COLD IN WASHINGTON

Seattle, Jan. 23.—Seattle was feeling the coldest weather since December 30, 1927, to-day while other cities in this state reported correspondingly low temperatures.

Early to-day the mercury had hit its lowest point for the winter, 18 degrees above zero. A thermometer at Boeing Field, south of the city, recorded 14 degrees above.

Ellensburg reported the coldest weather of any point in the state, the mercury dropping to 16 degrees below zero. This morning it was nine below zero at Ellensburg, where the snow is ten inches deep.

Walla Walla also was chilled by the coldest weather of the winter last night, the thermometers showing a half degree above zero.

TRAVELS WITHIN

Shanghai, Jan. 23.—The United States transport Henderson arrived here from Tientsin to-day with 900 United States marines. This marked the withdrawal of the last of the marines from North China.

LITTLE JOE

IF IT WEREN'T FOR SOME PEOPLE, A MULE WOULD BE THE CHAMPION KICKER.

Seattle, Jan. 23.—Chief Justice Gordon Hunter of Victoria, sixty-five, and Miss Eleanor E. Morden of Shawinigan Lake, forty-nine, obtained a marriage license here yesterday.

Had it not been for the failure of the chief justice to bring a witness with him when he applied for the license his application would probably have passed unnoticed. But as it was he objected to the suggestion of the marriage license clerk that he bring a bell boy with him to act as a witness. Miss Morden then volunteered the information that Mr. Hunter had been chief justice of the British Columbia supreme court since 1902.

Hance J. Logan was born at Amherst Point, Nova Scotia, April 26, 1869, and was educated at the Model School at Truro and at the Pictou Academy and graduated from Dalhousie University, Halifax. As a young man he became a barrister, eventually becoming senior member of the law firm, Logan, MacKenzie and Smiley of Amherst, Nova Scotia. In 1891 he married Eleanor L. Kinder, who died in

At Our January Shoe Sale
\$12 TO \$16 CHURCH'S BOOTS FOR MEN.
MUNDAY'S
Sawyer Building Better Fitting Shoes 1203 Douglas Street

CAPITOL Theatre
THE STAGE—TWICE DAILY
Stein and Stone
Assassins of Sorrow and Purveyors of Snappy Tunes
Wallin and Barnes
Two Nifty Dancers
Madge Rush
Solo Dancer
CAPITOL CONCERT ORCHESTRA
JACK REED, The Singing M.C.
NEXT WEEK: COLLEEN MOORE IN "LILAC TIME"

VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES
At Popular Prices LAST TIMES TO-DAY

THE SCREEN
Clara Bow in "Three Week Ends"
SAMMY COHEN IS LEADING PLAYER AT PLAYHOUSE

COLOR SPECIALTY "LOVE'S SPRINGTIME"
Great 3-unit Show

Matinee Wednesday and Saturday
1st, The Parker Musical Comedy Company Offer "A Little Off!"
2nd, On the Screen
"HOMESICK" Starring Sue Carroll
Featuring Sammy Cohen
PLAYHOUSE

COLISEUM
Harold Lloyd in "SPEEDY" John Gilbert in "HONOR FIRST"
Hearst's International News Ladies' Gift Matinee Wednesday
Coming Jan. 28: Toby Leach, the Famous Character Comedian



The Co-optimist Comedy Company Presents—
on the Stage—Friday Evening

"Our Dogs"

The Funniest Farce Ever Written. It Made All London Laugh. Played to Packed Houses in Paris—A Riot in New York!

This play is to be followed by a short sketch, "THE GIRL," and the usual two hours of
Dancing Admission Reserved Seats 35¢

SWIM

Season tickets are popular. Make your daily swim the cheapest thing you can buy.

Adults, \$15.00
Children

\$10.00

Crystal Garden



AT THE THEATRES

SETTING OF FILM AT THE COLISEUM LAID IN FRANCE

In one of his finest roles since attaining stardom in movieland, John Gilbert is playing the leading role in "Honor First," the Fox picture which Coliseum Theatre all this week. Gilbert has a dual role in this film and according to screen critics who have seen the picture, he is at his best. The settings of the story are laid in France during and immediately following the Great War and scenes of Paris are well defined as the story unfolds itself on the screen. Renée Adorée has the role of a beautiful woman of the great French city and does her acting admirably, lending fine support to Gilbert.

Besides this splendid film, other attractions at the Coliseum this week include Harold Lloyd in one of his funniest releases; Pictures entitled "The King of Fun," as he is often referred to is keeping Coliseum audiences this week in up roar of laughter from the beginning to the end of the story. Showing current events in all parts of the world Hearst's International News is making a prominent part in this week's entertainment. Lester Smith's concert orchestra rounds out a most enjoyable evening.

Acclaimed as the funniest farce ever written, "Our Dogs," a one-act comedy, is the headliner of a double bill which will be presented by the talented Optimists at the Crystal Garden on Friday.

"Our Dogs" is said to be funnier than "The Apartment." It is one of the most aristocratic form of the musical comedy and is not exploited in these parts as often as it ought to be.

The Hart House String Quartette was delighted with the comedy.

A simple misunderstanding—the sort of misunderstanding anything might entertain—was taken by Stanley Bell the playgoer who makes the basis of a particularly funny plot.

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NORAH FINE STEAMER FOR COAST RUN

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deck is laid out for deck games and lounging, while the lower after deck is sheltered from the wind.

BEAUTIFUL LOUNGE

The interior appointments are beautiful. Public rooms, the lounge, the smoking-room, the dining-room and the reception hall are replicas of those on the big ships, the Princess Kath-

leen and Princess Marguerite. The main observation room is constructed with large plate glass windows on three sides and furnished simply but comfortably with wicker furniture. Artistic lighting arrangements and plenty of mirrors add to the luxuriousness of the lounge.

SMOKING-ROOM

The smoking-room which is aft from the lounge is built comfortably with large alcoves of panelled oak set with leather settees, and small card tables. Lighting in this room has also been well looked after and there is plenty

of window space looking out on to the boat deck.

The dining-room will comfortably seat 100 passengers at tables for eight, ten and twelve. It is a spacious room and has plenty of light. The kitchens off the dining-room are the latest in marine architecture and are equipped with all the necessary devices.

The large reception hall at the forward end of the main deck is laid out in oak flooring and white and gold paneling. A large space is reserved for dancing and comfortable chairs and settees are furnished in this hall. Large mirrors and dainty wall brackets lend charm to the reception ballroom.

The staterooms are among the finest on any of the steamers on the coast. There is accommodation for 170 first-class passengers in spacious rooms of two berth each. Besides these there are four suites and six additional staterooms. Two of these are done in burl's eye maple and the other two in mahogany and gold. Twin brass beds are provided as well as large baths and showers. Dressing tables, full length mirrors, large clothes closets and side brackets are also features of these rooms.

ELECTRIC FIREPLACES

The other staterooms are particularly large and comfortable. All of them have large settees which could accommodate a third passenger should the necessity arise. Each room has its own hot showers and electric fireplaces. Most of the rooms on the Norah open onto the interior corridors—but situated on the lower afterdeck are about twelve rooms with doors opening out.

The Norah has a speed of sixteen knots with extra power in reserve. She is driven by triple expansion reciprocating engines. She has a length of 250 feet, a breadth of forty-eight feet, and is of 750 tons deadweight.

It is expected that the new ship will enter drydock shortly for cleaning and painting and that she will then take several trips on the Alaskan run before being placed on the West Coast run.

KING MEETS SHIP

With their usual hospitality the Pacific Salvage Company entertained a small party of Victoria business and transportation men on board the steamer Princess King this morning when that vessel steamed to William Head to greet the Princess Norah.

In spite of the leaden sky and whirling snow the Norah was sighted riding at anchor in the cove more than two miles away from the King. From the distance it could be seen that she was a trim little craft. As the King steamer neared all those on the ship moved forward where a good view could be had of the new ship.

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Ex-Ambassador of Britain to Germany Gives Estimates of Living Statesmen

London, Jan. 23 (By Thomas T. Champion, London Manager of the Canadian Press)—There was a time not long ago, when no statesman or diplomat would have dreamed of permitting his memoirs to see the light of day until at least several years after his death. In "An Ambassador of Peace," published yesterday by Hodder & Stoughton, Viscount d'Abernon, British Ambassador to Germany from 1920 till 1926, gives the public the fruits of his own observations.

"If this rapid publicity offends against the old canons of good taste," Viscount d'Abernon says, "there is nothing in the book which is other than beneficial to the cause of peace and to the maintenance of a high moral standard among sovereigns and statesmen."

The best reading in the book, especially d'Abernon's studies of Lloyd George, the Earl of Balfour and Marquis Curzon.

LLOYD GEORGE'S COURSE

Of Mr. Lloyd George and his attitude toward European conferences, Viscount d'Abernon says:

"His mental alertness and his readiness for finding appropriate words to support an argument protected him from the usual weakness of English negotiators, namely, a proclivity to concur in views of others partly from good nature and partly from indecision."

Referring to the Earl of Balfour, the author writes:

"I have known no less than eleven Prime Ministers of England, and for detachment and adroitness Balfour was unequalled. He had a high regard for quality, an attitude towards life attained only by the truly philosophic, a charm both for men of taste and women of refinement which has rarely been equalled or approached."

ESTIMATE OF CURZON

Viscount d'Abernon's estimate of Lord Curzon starts with the assertion that he was born grandiose.

"Curzon's unique achievement," he says, "was to combine dignity with humor."

"One of his friends said he gave orders to footmen in language which would not have disgraced Cicero addressing the Roman Senate, and he occasionally called the servants 'not by name, but by the title of their station,' saying 'Housemaid throw wide the casement' or 'Footman add fuel to the flame.'

The author admits grandly enough, however, of what he calls Lord Curzon's "catastrophic" disappointment when he missed the premiership, followed by intense mortification at Sir Austen Chamberlain's appointment to the Foreign Office.

"The surgeon's explanation of Marquis Curzon's death," he writes, "is internal hemorrhage. His deeper cause was a double case of mortification and disappointment. In a world where such injustice was possible, where fate was so malignant, there could be no lay and no contentment in living."

FARMERS MAY QUIT INQUIRY

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THROW UP HANDS

"It will be preferable to clear up matters relevant to the petitioners, and later inquire into other matters, in which we will not appear."

"If the petitioners are forced to face the full burden of three weeks of proceedings here, and I am instructed to advise you that my clients would have to throw up their hands."

"We have been to the Parliament Buildings this morning on the matter, and would ask an adjournment pending a ruling," said Mr. O'Halloran.

E. L. Tait stated that the municipality was prepared to proceed forthwith, and remarked, "My friend finds himself on the horns of a dilemma, he has started something which he cannot finish."

Mr. O'Halloran warmly protested.

"We can finish what we started, that was the plea for disincorporation."

FACTS IN TRUE LIGHT

Mr. Tait continued: "The municipality is interested to have the facts placed in a true light. That is the whole of our interest. It will be found that we are in full agreement on many points."

He suggested that the hearing proceed on such matters as area of the districts, inhabitants, expenditures enjoyed by each section of the tax contributions, and so on. "All that was done this week settled quickly."

Mr. Tait pointed out that the basic question was "has one section of the community been persistently subjected to unfair charges?" and considered no restriction should be imposed upon the powers of the commissioners.

"Your hands should not be fettered in proposing any remedy for the general benefit of the community," he protested.

Mr. O'Halloran asked: "How do these matters affect the issue of disincorporation raised by us?"

WANT QUEST ANSWERED

Commissioner Lampman asked Mr. O'Halloran: "Your point is, you do not want to take part in wider questions?" and was answered affirmatively.

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LAXATIVE TABLETS

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would settle everything and Mr. O'Halloran reiterated: "The instructions given Mr. Paton and myself are that, if we are to go ahead in this tremendous investigation without assurance against vast expenses, we much throw up our hands, much to our regret."

The Commissioner asked: "Why not go ahead now with what you are interested in?"

Mr. O'Halloran explained that he was ordered to present evidence by an independent witness expert in taxation, provided his clients would be freed of all expense. The unnamed witness had appeared on behalf of many taxpayers' associations in other parts of Canada and had thereby acquired wide familiarity with such matters. "Whether he can be termed expert or not is another matter," he said.

Judge Lampman suggested adjournment to Friday instead of for a week, remarking that Summer would arrive before a conclusion if long adjournments were permitted.

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The operation of the City Lands Department was discussed before the meeting of the finance committee, with Mayor Herbert Asombra in the chair.

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THE SESSION

IT WAS NOT TO BE EXPECTED THAT the Speech from the Throne with which the Lieutenant-Governor opened the Legislature yesterday would foreshadow many departures from custom or policy. The new Government took office less than six months ago and this is its first session. The ministers have not had sufficient time to familiarize themselves with all the detail of their departments. It is true, of course, that the members of the Administration who were candidates a few months ago promised to do certain things for the people of British Columbia if the party to which they belonged were successful at the polls. But such reforms as they considered desirable naturally will take more time to develop than they appeared to think at that time. A few months from now we shall assume that Dr. Tolmie and his colleagues will be in a position to decide what their course will be in many directions.

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Canada's trade with China at the present time is a little less than \$20,000,000, with an overwhelming advantage on the side of the country. But this is a very small amount and ought to be increased. The Orient is quickly becoming Occidentalized, particularly in the matter of food and clothing and other commodities peculiar to western custom. The Dominion has only one Trade Commissioner on the spot and one in Japan. Our merchants occasionally send a representative over there to stir up business; but, compared with what the exporters of the neighboring republic are doing to exploit the Oriental market, it looks as if we are falling down on the job.

Would it not be a good idea if some of our British Columbia shippers of goods in demand in China met the delegation which the Chinese Nationalist League proposes to send and either send their own delegation to accompany the League members or co-operate with them in some other way? Canada will have to bestir herself in the Orient if she expects to get the business which should be hers for the trouble of going after it.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

THE BITER BIT

The Brooklyn Eagle

Thousands of Britons who have had experience of our tariff ways will chuckle over the plight of an American girl at Liverpool for failing to declare several watches in his luggage. We suppose he must have read somewhere that Great Britain was a free trade country. Misinformation is the mother of misfortune.

THE MONROE DOCTRINE

The New York Sun

Much unnecessary and confusing discussion of this subject would be squelched if it were borne in mind: (a) That the primary purpose of the Monroe Doctrine is protection of the United States and not defence of any other country, such defence being purely incidental to application of the Doctrine; and (b) that in each application of the Monroe Doctrine its fundamental principle is applied for accomplishment of its purpose as circumstances require, in accordance with the altered necessities of a world which is continuously subject to change, and not in obedience to an antique formula unadjusted to contemporary needs.

ORGANIZED FOLLY

The Worcester Telegram

(Miss Maude Royden, the distinguished English woman preacher, says that whereas there are fools in all countries, "America is the only country in which the fools are organized.") Come to think of it, we do have a good many organized fools. Idiots become passionate and therewith go in for "crusades." The crafty lead the credulous at so much per head into divers and sundry "movements" for the reformation or other alteration of the world. If the fools of Tennessee had not been splendidly

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Heavy Flannelette Work or Sports Shirts, with fleece back, collar attached and two pockets. Fancy checks on a fawn or blue ground. Sale price, each **\$2.49**

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Atlantic Brand Cream Elastic Knit Shirts and Drawers. Medium weight cotton underwear with a soft wool finish; all sizes. A garment **.95¢**

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Brilliant Reception At Government House

Hon. R. R. Bruce Entertained at State Dinner Last Night, Following Formal Opening of Legislature; Guests "Piped In"

The formal ceremonies incident to the opening of the Provincial Legislature culminated with a brilliant State dinner and reception at Government House last night, when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie entertained the members of the new Conservative Government and their wives, members of the judiciary, the naval and military services and other dignitaries. The spacious reception rooms at Government House were aglow with masses of exquisite blooms for the occasion, and the dinner table was beautifully arranged with pink and mauve primulas, with tall tapers to match in silver candelabra. The piping-in of the guests to dinner by Pipe-Major Wishart added a picturesque note to the formal proceedings.

DINNER GUESTS

Guests invited for the dinner included: Hon. the Premier, Rt. Rev. Bishop of Columbia, Rt. Rev. Bishop of Victoria, Hon. J. H. King, Hon. H. Stevens, Hon. Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald, Hon. Chief Justice Gordon Hunter, Hon. Horatio Bostock, Speaker of the Senate, Senator A. F. Planta, Senator G. H. Barnard, Senator J. D. Taylor, Senator R. F. Green, Senator S. J. Crowe, Hon. Mr. Justice Archer Martin, Hon. Mr. Justice Phillips, Hon. Mr. Justice E. Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Justice Aulay Morrison, Hon. Mr. Justice Denis Murphy, Hon. Mr. Justice F. B. Gregory, Hon. Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, W. G. Quarrie, M.P., George Black, M.P., Brig-General J. A. Clark, M.P., General Sir L. L. Ladner, M.P., A. W. Neil, M.P., Major-General D. McRae, M.P., H. J. Barber, M.P., J. C. Brady, M.P., W. K. Ealing, M.P., J. A. Fraser, M.P., Grote Sterling, M.P., D. B. Plunkett, M.P., Hon. S. L. Howe, Hon. R. H. Pooley, Hon. F. P. Burden, Hon. W. C. Sheppard, Hon. W. A. Atkinson, Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Hon. R. W. Bruhn, Hon. R. L. Maitland, Hon. J. W. Jones, Hon. T. Pattiullo, Brig-General J. Sutherland Brown, Commander P. W. Neiles, Mayor Herbert Anscombe, Mayor W. H. Malton, Flight Lieut. A. H. Hart, Hon. G. Wilson, Dean of Argyll, Mr. W. J. Blaikie, Dr. E. McMechan, Rev. S. Lundie, Moderator of the Synod, Major D. R. Sargent, and Lieut-Commander G. B. Barnes and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn.

GUESTS AT RECEPTION

Among the guests invited to the reception were: The Premier and Mrs. Tolmie, Miss Tolmie, the Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Schofield, Hon. J. H. King and Mrs. King, Hon. H. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens, Chief Justice J. A. and Mrs. Macdonald, Miss Macdonald, Senator and Mrs. A. E. Flounders, Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Senator J. D. Taylor and Miss Taylor, Senator and Mrs. R. F. Green, Senator and Mrs. S. J. Crowe, Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Archer Martin, Hon. Mr. Justice Phillips, Hon. Mr. Justice A. W. Neil, M.P., Major-General D. McRae, M.P., and Mrs. McQuarrie, George Black, M.P., and Mrs. Black, Brigadier-General J. A. Clarke, M.P., and Mrs. Clarke, L. J. Laidlow, M.P., and Mrs. Laidlow, C. H. Dickie, M.P., A. W. Neil, M.P., and Mrs. Neil, Major-General A. D. McRae, M.P., and Mrs. McRae, H. J. Barber, M.P., and Mrs. Barber, J. C. Brady, M.P., and Mrs. Brady, J. A. Fraser, M.P., and Mrs. Fraser, Grote Sterling, M.P., and Mrs. Sterling, D. B. Plunkett, M.P., Hon. S. L. Howe, Hon. R. 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ANNUAL MEETING OF SOCIETY HELD

Anti-vivisectionists Name Officers For Year at Gathering; Secretary's Report

The eighth annual meeting of the local branch of the Anti-vivisection Society was held on Tuesday in the Art Club Room, H. Webster presiding.

T. L. Boyden, the president, spoke on the work accomplished during the year and asked for the secretary's report which included the following items:

In January a public warning was issued against the serumization work on in the public schools and attention of two weeks later after diphtheria immunization, several others being made seriously ill and the Government having to pay damages for the loss inflicted.

Members of the local legislature were circularized regarding proposed amendments to the existing health act which gives free power to school medical inspectors and others. The societies in British Columbia suggested amendments to meet the situation and the bill was dropped, much opposition to the old act and the proposed bill being shown.

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VETERANS' CLUB OFFICERS NAMED

C. A. Gill Again Heads Pro Patria Branch; Pension Work Reported

brought to marine headquarters by a messenger yesterday, while additional advices received to-day told of the deaths of the two others.

Only meagre details have been released of the clash.

The six-months' report covers the period from April 1 to September 30.

It discloses sales of liquors of all kinds through the Government stores of \$6,056,776. These are retail sales direct to the public. Sales of beer to beer parlors, which is a wholesale trade on rapidly.

Re-election of C. A. Gill as president and the naming of other officers of the club were the features of the annual meeting of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. held last night in the clubroom.

Colonel F. A. Robertson was named first vice-president. Other officers elected were: Second vice-president, J. Bowit; executive, Hon. T. G. Coventry; D. M. Campbell, Hon. H. H. Munro, Minister of Education; T. Davies, W. J. Cobbett, M. Kirkpatrick-Crockett, T. Mayo, H. W. Hart, W. Whitehead and G. Bell.

Pensions ranging from five to 100 per cent had been secured by the club in conjunction with G. H. Sedger during the year, the secretary, H. Thorpe, said in his report. Retroactive pensions to the total of \$3,447,233 had been secured.

The financial standing of the branch was good, he reported. The total membership was given as 577. Fourteen members had died during the year.

Fire Destroys Clarkson Home At Northfield

(Special to The Times)

The residence of Mrs. Clarkson, at Northfield, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. A fire coming off the roof set fire to a portion of the roof. Mrs. Ross aroused Mr. Clarkson, who was found asleep in a room filled with smoke. The flames gained swift headway, and only two beds and two trunks were saved. Mrs. Clarkson was at Brechin, visiting her sister. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Negro Killed By Chicago Police

Chicago, Jan. 23.—A negro was shot and killed at the detective bureau here yesterday, after he allegedly became insane and attacked a group of policemen with a pocketknife. He stabbed three policemen and was shot a half dozen times before he dropped, while more than 200 prisoners, most of whom were taken in the recent raid on Alcatraz, were covered in terror about the walls of their cells to escape the bullets. The negro was Oscar Murror, against whom no charge had been placed.

Three U.S. Marines Killed In Clash In Northern Nicaragua

Washington, Jan. 23.—(By Francis G. Alderman, Staff Correspondent of the Canadian Press)—Rumors from Geneva that the United States would become a member of the League of Nations in the future in a sort of associate capacity have been received here with very little credence. Exactly what degree of association with the League would be unlikely the incoming Congress will be any more favorable to participation in European affairs than the old Congress has been. It is assumed in Washington that public opinion in the United States is against active participation in the League.

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Montreal, Jan. 23.—The Soviet experiment in Russia had failed tragically and its endurance was now but a question of the patience of the Russian people, according to former Grand Duke Alexander of Mecklenburg, brother-in-law of the late Czar, who arrived in Montreal yesterday. The ex-grand duke said he was certain his countrymen would not suffer the yoke of the communists very much longer.

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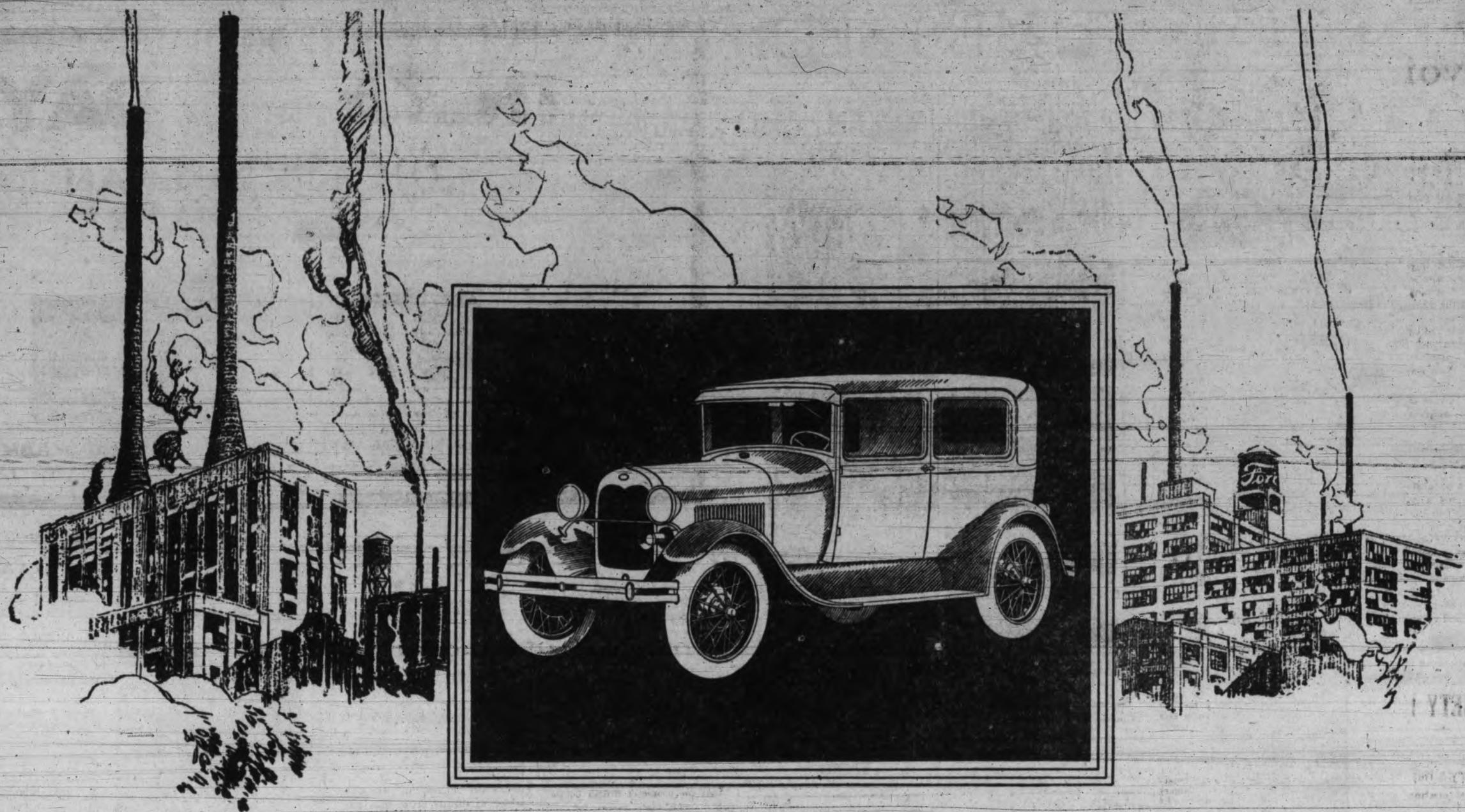


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HOCKEY & BOXING

Victoria Cubs and Vancouver Draw In Hectic Hockey Game

Pacific Coast League Hockey Teams Give Fans Thrills Galore in Overtime Game That Finished 2-all; Earl Robertson, Cubs' Goalie, Gives Wonderful Exhibition; Cubs Now Tied With Portland for Second Place; Lions Came From Behind Twice to Tie Up Score; Eighteen Penalties and Three Penalty Shots Handled Out During Four Sessions

In a game replete with thrills of all kinds, including fast hockey, heavy checking, pretty combination and sensational goal-scoring, the Victoria Cubs and Vancouver Lions, leaders of the Pacific Coast Hockey League, battled to a 2-all draw at the Willows Arena last night, despite ten minutes of overtime.

It was beyond doubt, one of the most hectic games ever witnessed here at any time. The teams started off at a terrific pace and never let up until the end of the extra session. The brand of hockey was just as good as that of the bydays of the old Pacific Coast or the Western Canada Leagues.

ROBERTSON STARS

Earl Robertson, the Cubs' young goalie, was the hero of the Victoria team. He put up the game of his life, and in the first period kicked out and blocked shots from all angles. On two occasions he was lying sprawling on the ice holding on to the puck after it had rebounded off his pads. Throughout the game the Vancouver players were on top of him at least eight times and they only managed to squeeze two goals out of the Victoria netminder.

"Red-headed" Jack Kelly pressed Robertson a close second for the honors.

He kicked off his head off and in the third period scored the prettiest goal of the game after a beautiful solo effort through the whole Vancouver team.

Cliff O'Meara made his first appearance before the home fans in some weeks and, although not on the ice long, he displayed some heady hockey.

The pleasing feature of the Victoria team was the exhibition put up by Ernie Leacock. The young forward looked better last night than he has done all season. He scored Victoria's first goal.

Art Somers played a great game for Vancouver, working hard and back-checking nicely. He is one of the hardest workers in the league and is a dangerous player at all times. He scored Vancouver's first goal with one of his famous backhand shots.

VICTORIA CLIMBS

By grabbing off one point Victoria is now tied with Portland for second place. The Cubs are three points ahead of Seattle who occupy the cellar position.

The players seemed inclined to rough it and Mickey Ion was kept busy blowing his whistle for penalties. Eighteen were handed out during the four periods with Vancouver drawing down ten and Victoria eight. Kenny, the big Victoria defence man, was the worst offender with four rests in the cooler.

Three penalty shots were awarded Vancouver getting the odd one. None of them resulted in goals.

Fans saw the new offside rule in effect for the first time and it appears to speed up play considerably. More action was seen around the goal mouth and this is what the fans crave.

The first period had only got started when Somers was sent to the penalty box for slapping at O'Meara. Victoria hemmed Vancouver in their own blue line but Jackson saved everything that came his way. Kelly worked in around the defense to flip the puck over that nearly got into the net. Jervis and Cummings combined nicely but the former's shot was wide. Kenny was sent off for tripping Cummings. Beattie had two fine openings in a row, his first shot hitting the post while Robertson cleared the second. Brennan was sent to the penalty box for cross-checking Herman Runge. Leacock followed a few seconds later for a hard check on Somers. Kelly nudged the Vancouver defence but was thrown off his shot.

KENNY OFF AGAIN

Kenny took another rest in the cooler for tripping Somers. Play was fast again but the fans were hardly able to keep to the seats. Robertson kicked out and soundly applauded by the fans. O'Meara took a pass from Evans to push one in the corner but Jackson cleared. Kenny came back on the ice only to return to the penalty box for dumping Jervis. Beattie took a forced two-minute rest for hooking Redpath. Robertson had what looked like a sure goal fail to the ice. Another Cummings' shot, when the Vancouver forward was right on the net.

The second period opened fast with Kelly engineering a couple of nice rushes. Kenny drove in a wicked shot and was right in on the rebound. Sir John took the puck and skated down the left boards, rattle one off Robertson's pads. He took a penalty right after for putting Kenny into the boards. The Victoria player was knocked out for a few seconds but recovered to resume playing. Pridham eluded the Vancouver defense.

KELLY SCORES

Forty seconds later Kelly gave Victoria a one-goal lead again.

Taking the puck in centre ice he went right in on the boards. Sir John took the puck and skated down the left boards, rattle one off Robertson's pads. He took a penalty right after for putting Kenny into the boards.

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CUMMING'S SHOT

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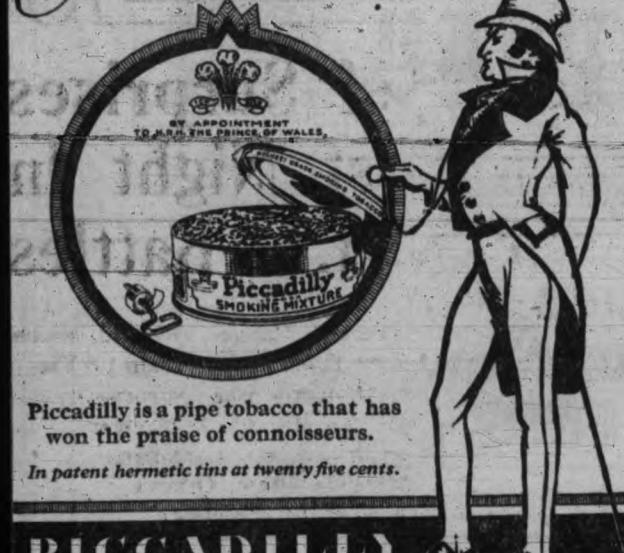
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Nurm's Trouble Is But a Bubble

Johnny Proctor Loses In Doubles Game at Montreal

New York, Jan. 23.—The first valuable over Paavo Nurmi's services, develops, was nothing more than one of those well known tempests in a teapot. The athletic committee of the second Masonic district has repudiated action taken by its secretary, Jack Harris, in protesting that influences had been brought to bear on the track. First, he change his entry to Boston games. I would have granted Fitz a fight any time I thought he wanted it, as he had given me a chance to win the title when he might have held off for a long time, or evaded a meeting. I had asked him to fight, and I think that my simple request got more results than all the planning and scheming of the press.

I finally decided that Fitzsimmons was in earnest and agreed to a match with him to satisfy him once and for all time which was the better man. We signed articles to meet on July 25, 1930, in San Francisco. The articles called for a twenty-round bout, to be staged by Alex Greggaine, who planned to hold the fight in a circus tent pitched in the Mission district of San Francisco, there being no hall large enough for such an event.

The other doubles matches were also hard-fought. William Crocker and Marcel Rainville, spectacular Montreal pair, showed fine form in eliminating J. McNeihol, of Boston, and Bryan Dooley, of Toronto.

Dr. Cleveland and A. L. S. Mills, of Montreal, won over their local rivals, Jerry Westay and Paul Fontaine, by scores of 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

The favorites came through in the three singles matches on the cards. Nurmi had a good match with Stuart Veysey, youthful Montreal player, and the latter put up a hard enough fight to take three games in each set. Proctor won the final sets from A. Hern, another local man.

G. Hall, Greater New York champion, had some difficulty in disposing of Leo Boucher, of Montreal.

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CHAPTER XXI

RED ROBERT FALLS AGAIN

After beating Ruhlin decisively at San Francisco it looked as if the heavyweight crop was about harvested, but at that time Bob Fitzsimmons—or rather Dan Hickey, his manager, and others, commenced demanding a return match with me. Fitzsimmons and his friends seemed to think it was a chance to recuperate the title if we met again. Perhaps they had been told I was out of condition and might be caught when I was easy.

I had been almost constantly on the road, traveling with Charles Waldron's show, through the East and Middle West for nearly four months. I was boxing every day, but as usual the training was irregular; however, was telling on my condition. Fitzsimmons and his friends kept a constant bombardment of demands for a fight going in the newspapers—at least for a long time I did not take it seriously thinking that, if Bob wanted a match, he would send me a challenge or ask me to fight, and had the idea it was probably best to let him do business.

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We went to the White House and, while waiting to be interviewed, Mr. Roosevelt turned up to me, shook my hand with a grip that meant something, and in a minute we were chatting like old friends. He asked questions about fighting, showed that he knew all about me and my fights, and then we talked hunting and fishing. He asked about my trip down the Colorado, and showed that he knew all three species—and not in theory either, practice.

He recalled that Tom Foley had introduced us in New York when he was the Commissioner of Police, and remarked that he had predicted then that I would win the championship, merely from my size and quickness.

Roosevelt was the easiest man to talk to I ever met. He talked straight out about what he knew and he was talking about a friend nearly as hot with him, and as I was leaving he remarked he hoped some day to have a chance to see me box. I never saw him afterwards.

STARTS TRAINING

As soon as we could close the show I hastened out to Harbin Springs, which I regarded as the ideal training spot in the country, and started to work to get ready for Fitzsimmons. Regardless of the fact I had beaten him without great trouble at our first meeting I did not underestimate Fitzsimmons. In fact he was one man I never underestimated. I knew he was dangerous as long as he was on his feet, and was determined to get into the best possible condition.

The same crew of helpers that had been with me before gathered at Harbin, and the joking and fun started again as soon as we got there. This time I determined to put a damper on some of the sport, if it was in danger of interfering with the real work. There were no more comedy hold-ups or larks. We climbed mountains, ran hard on the road and boxed twice or sixteen rounds a day.

Delaney and some of the others rated Fitzsimmons as easy, but I did not, and I insisted upon hard work when they got careless. However I did not stop all the fun. I recall one of the funniest little things I ever witnessed or had a part in that happened there.

I had done fifteen miles of hard running and down mountains, that morning, and was resting after lunch, lying in a hammock and shooting jays out of a big walnut tree and a big tree with a target pistol. The jays are destructive and ruinous to fruit in that section, and it was not considered wrong to kill them.

A GREAT JOKER

At the Springs was a great fellow named Dick Adams, who always was playing some joke, or "stringing someone." He and a lady companion guest at the hotel approached my cot and stopped, watching me shoot at the birds. After I had killed several the lady said:

"It seems a shame to kill those beautiful birds."

"If you knew how destructive they are to fruit, you would not think it a shame," I replied.

Dick walked over and picked up one of the birds, finding that it had been shot right through the eye.

"See?" he said seriously. "He never lets them suffer. He always shoots them through the eye and kills them instantly."

"Mr. Jeffries must be a wonderful shot," she said, much impressed.

"He is," declared Dick. "He is the greatest shot in the world. Why, you could be walking along here and he could shoot the heel off your shoe without touching your feet."

I overheard this line of talk and, while he was still going in fine form, I took careful aim and shot the heel off his shoe.

FLIES INTO RAGE

Dick jumped three feet into the air. His face changed color like a kaleidoscope, and he flew into a rage, calling me everything he could think of, while I said:

"What's the matter, Dick? I was only trying to show the lady you were not lying to her."

The joking ceased a week before the fight. We had reports that Fitzsimmons was in good condition and dangerous and I settled down and worked hard, getting into good shape before we started for San Francisco.

(To Be Continued)

With the Bowlers

Although V. Baines, of the Times Compos, led the individual game scores with a total of 241 points, the Compos went down to defeat in a Fivepins fixture at the hands of their rivals—the Colonist Typos, in three straight games. Bill Dunn, of the Colonist, scored the highest aggregate total with 603 points.

In the Commercial League, James Island defeated the Poodle Dog Cafe by the odd game. E. Rivers, of the Islanders, was the high scorer in both individual game and aggregate sections with totals of 212 and 540 points.

Complete score follow:

COLONIST TYPOS

A. Anderson 160 175 228 563
R. Begg 220 125 191 536
W. Dunn 172 205 228 560
W. Poole 140 155 105 398
J. Hough 189 165 105 405

Totals 881 821 955 2857

TIMES COMPS

E. Stewart 137 177 145 439

S. Jenkins 182 128 145 449

T. Nutt 183 139 158 407

V. Baines 241 170 132 543

H. Jealouse 165 107 135 405

Totals 834 766 750 2350

POODLE DOG CAFE

A. Manson 150 168 178 505

H. Beer 149 194 173 516

J. Wilson 97 150 203 450

J. Wenger 183 140 152 445

A. Theobald 16 144 160 446

Totals 714 796 872 2382

JAMES ISLAND

J. Ford 157 149 134 440

W. Rivers 141 153 170 464

J. Thompson 132 170 202 513

E. Rivers 200 160 140 509

Totals 791 853 822 2466

Eight race, mile and seventy yards.

Frank Gaylor, \$12.60, \$5, \$3; Trinket, \$12.20, \$5.40; Sphere, \$3, Time, 1.49

J. Wilson 134 153 170 440

Ninth race, mile and seventy yards.

Golden Sweep, \$10.80, \$4.20, \$2.80;

Shampoo, \$7.80, \$3.80; Swoop, \$3,

Time, 1.48—1.5.

Eight race, mile and seventy yards.

Bobby Doyle, \$10.20, \$4.40, \$3.60;

Waraham, \$4.80, \$3.60; Bobby Jones, \$9.40, Time, 1.50—4.

Seventh race, one mile, Santa Clara Handicap, \$10.80, \$5, \$3; Glad Elford, \$3. Time, 1.45—1.5.

Sixth race, mile and seventy yards.

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**TAXATION RELIEF
BILL IS DEBATED****British Commons Rejects
Amendment to Government Measure**

London, Jan. 23.—The House of Commons last night dealt with the long and complicated Local Taxation Bill, under which the Government plans to relieve productive industries such as agriculture, mining, manufacturing and transportation of part of their burden of local taxation.

AMENDMENT OFFERED

W. J. Harold Briggs, Conservative member for the Blackley division of Manchester, announced he had an amendment which would exclude breweries, distilleries and tobacco manufacturers from the benefits of the bill.

He was supported by a small group of Conservatives who urged the Government to accept the amendment. They claimed the adoption of the amendment would not affect the principle of the bill which they supported.

Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain, Minister of Health, who was in charge of the bill for the Government, declined to accept the amendment, however, on the grounds that it was illegal.

The House rejected the Briggs amendment by a vote of 219 to 139. Divisions had been called on two previous amendments, one by Labor and one by the Liberals; but they failed to reach a vote for lack of Opposition tellers. The amendments thus fell to the ground without a poll.

NOT DOLE PLAN

The Local Government Bill, Mr. Chamberlain said, was not a dole to industries. It was a scheme of rating reform. There was the same reason to exempt these particular industries as there were prosperous ones said to be semi-luxurious, than to wholly luxurious.

The subsequent debate saw Lady Astor heard from the Conservative benches and Mrs. Ellen Wilkinson, Middlesbrough East, from the Labor benches support the motion.

Sooke

A basketball and dance will be held at Charter's Hall on Saturday, January 26, at 8 p.m.

A clay pigeon shoot will be held at Jackson's Spit on Sunday, Jan. 27, at 1 p.m., under auspices of Canadian Legion.

The Holy Trinity Church committee met at the home of Tristram Willett on Sunday.

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At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any druggist about four ounces of Jad Salts put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before bed each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize acidity, remove body waste, also to stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons.

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**TALKS ON PEACE
IMPRESS PUPILS**

Rev. Dr. Clem Davies is Envoy For Local League of Nations Society

"War is a big Goliath that struts forth to hurt the nations and the Prince of Peace wants us to become His soldiers to go out and put an end to his nasty and mean ways," said Rev. Dr. Clem Davies in an address to the children of the Margaret Jenkins School yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Davies has been acting as envoy for the Local League of Nations Society to secure recruits for the junior army of peace, called the League of Youth, a section of the League of Nations Society.

"Jesus once said that big folks did not know everything, for He stated that some things were revealed to babies," stated Dr. Davies. "By babies He meant the youth of the world which had not received the prejudices of their older friends and relatives."

ALL AROUND THE WORLD

The world is a big house Dr. Davies told the kiddies and God wanted everybody to live happily together. "We should stretch our hearts wide enough to take in our neighbors—friends all around the world. When we love our home we are not supposed to hate other homes. We should not brag about our own country and sneer at other countries," continued Dr. Davies.

"Not only can we have good thoughts of other nations but we can do practical deeds. By joining the League of Youth we could get to know the point of view of other boys and girls in foreign lands and they could learn about us. We cannot hate people if we know them well. We can read about children in other lands too. Some boys think that there are no good books but war books. Girls have a silly idea that there are no stories interesting but love stories."

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VICTORIA, B.C., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1929

TELEPHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING TO 1090—WE WILL CHARGE IT

Victoria Daily Times

Advertising Phone No. 1090

RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
Situations Vacant. Situations Wanted. To
Rent. Articles for Sale. Lost or Found. etc.
1½¢ per word per insertion. Contract rates
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CLASSIFICATION NUMBERS

Acres	48
Agents	18
Automobiles	28
Births	1
Boats	27
Bicycles	128
Business Directory	81
Business opportunities	47
Card of thanks	8
Campuses	87
Coming events	10
Deaths	8
Dressmakers	18
Dancing	114
Doz. cal. rabbits etc.	22
Exchange	20
Educational	118
Flowers	7
Funeral directors	8
Funeral notices	4
For sale miscellaneous	18
Furniture	44
Furnished suites	20
Furnished rooms	28
Furnished houses	38
Help wanted male	12
Help wanted female	18
Houses for sale	38
Housekeeping rooms	31
Houses wanted	61
In memoriam	8
Livestock	28
Lost and found	48
Machinery	38
Marrages	5
Miscellaneous	32
Money to loan	28
Money wanted	48
Music	118
Monumental works	8
Musical instruments	180
Partnerships	18
Personal	48
Professional directors	82
Piano	110
Property for sale	48
Poultry and supplies	26
Rooms and board	32
Radio	100
Situations wanted male	17
Situations wanted female	40
Suites and rooms wanted	40
Summer resorts	38
Tuition	11
Teachers	14
To fit miscellaneous	28
Timber and mines	50
Unfurnished houses	38
Unfurnished suites	36
Wanted miscellaneous	21

BOX REPLIES AVAILABLE

Letters addressed to the following boxes
are available at The Times Office on
presentation of box tickets. Maximum re-
sults are obtained by advertisers who follow
up replies promptly.

456, 700, 1041, 1176, 1290, 1518, 1725, 2023,
2044, 3120, 2169, 2193, 2053, 2440, 5,000, 10322,
10393, 10427, 10459, 10528, 10617, 10631, 10646

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN
COX—To Mr. and Mrs. James L. Cox (nee Madeline Greaves), 1178 Port Street, a son on Jan. 23, at Jubilee Hospital.

GLANCY—To Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Glancy of 2038 Graham Street, a son on Jan. 22, at Jubilee Hospital.

PETTERSON—To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Petter-
son of 2787 Rockwood Street, a daughter
22, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a

daughter.

REED—To Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reed, 1112 Quadra Street, a son on Jan. 23, at Jubilee Hospital.

ROBERTSON—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Robertson, 1112 Government Street, a son on Jan. 23, at Jubilee Hospital.

SCOTT—To Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott, 1112 Quadra Street, a son on Jan. 23, at Jubilee Hospital.

SHAW—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Shaw, 1112 Government Street, a son on Jan. 23, at Jubilee Hospital.

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FUNERAL DIRECTORS

ANDS FUNERAL CO.
Res. 6038 and 7446L
Office Phone 3306
1812 Quadra Street

B.C. FUNERAL CO. LTD.
(Harvard's) Est. 1867
724 Broughton Street
Calls to office at All Hours
Moderate Charges. Lady Attendant
Embarking for Shipment a Specialty.
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BUSINESS DIRECTORY
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HOUSES AND ACREAGE
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WOOD AND COAL
(Continued)

DRY CEDAR WOOD, \$1.80 CORD. DRY
land fir wood, \$2.50, ½ cord. Phone
2882.

FRESH WATER WOOD, \$5 PER CORD.
Cordwood, stove, heating, \$1.50 per
cord. Phone 1163. Shanties
Lake Wood Company.

\$7.50 PER CORD DELIVERED. BEST
cordwood, stove, heating, \$1.50 per
cord. Phone 1868, or Consign
trees, on terms.

\$7.50 CORD. 14 HALF DELIVERED:
best cordwood, stove, heating,
trees. Phone 1126.

SELL OUR BEST SOOTLESS COAL
(once tried always used)

We also handle Dryden Millwood and Best
Island Coals

SIMITH & SONS

1112 Government St. Phone 1476 or 1501.

HOUSES AND ACREAGE

SAANICH PENINSULA
12-MILE CIRCLE
GOING CONCESSION DAIRY AND
Agricultural 20 acres all cleared and
cultivated, 5,000 strawberry plants; remain-
ing land in hay or grain. Good water sup-
ply. Two-room cottage, 10x12, with kitchen,
bath, front porch, back porch, 23 tons hay, two
cows, birds, all implements, etc. Plenty of
additional pasture nearby. Near stores,
school and sea. \$6,500. very easy terms.

BRANSON, BROWN & CO.

Cutter Vie wands Broad St. Phone 5600

BUILDER'S WATERFRONT OPPORTUNITY

WE HAVE AN EXCEPTIONALLY FINE
piece of property fronting on the
Gorge Road and running clear through to
the water. A large well-built house
which could be dismantled and timbered up
and used as a new court. This
property is well situated and lends itself
admirably for a lay-out of several buildings,
all of which would be right in
the Gorge. Price is about 24 times
in all for the barrels price of \$5,000. Don't
delay and miss this opportunity.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY

Real Estate Department

Belmont House Victoria

\$1,800 — NEAR VICTORIA HIGH
SCHOOL. Newly decorated. Six
rooms. Lot 100x110. Two front
aces.

\$2,800 NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW,
four rooms, full cement base-
ment, good furnace, built-in
features, garage, extra long lot.
Terms arranged.

THE CITY BROKERAGE

Phone 815 635 View Street

JUST THE HOME EVERYBODY IS LOOK-
ING FOR AT THE RIGHT PRICE. New 3-
roomed, 10x12, wood frame, built-in
kitchen, living room, open fireplace, built-in
bookcase and sunroom; cozy dining-room,
built-in China cabinet, etc. The
ONE BUNGALOW has large bedrooms, up-
to-date bathroom, with shower bath. Bright
kitchen with every convenience. The
two top upstairs can be completed at reasonable cost. Awnings on
windows. Price \$5,250 on easy terms. Listing No. 425.

B. C. BOND CORPORATION LTD.

1500 Government Street

SPECULATE
IN BUSINESS PROPERTY
\$1,000 CASH WILL HANDLE

QUADRA STREET, ADJACENT TO THE
automobile section, size 42 ft. x 60 ft.,
four-room cottage retailed at \$20 per month.
NOTE—This is a key lot and will be re-
quired immediately any building takes place
in the immediate vicinity.

PRICE ONLY \$2,500

P. E. BROWN & SONS LIMITED

1112 Broad Street Phone 1676

\$950—SMALL CASH PAYMENT—4
room cottage, recently redecorated,
3-piece bath, wood garage lot, low
taxes. A comfortable home at a sacrifice
price. Located in Esquimalt; near sea and
car. Immediate possession. Phone 3864.

\$2450—TERMS SEMI-BUNGALOW, 7
rooms, newly painted, new furni-
ture, large lot, garage Quadra Street. Im-
mediate possession.

LEE PARSONS & CO. LIMITED

1222 Broad Street

GORGE

4-ROOM COTTAGE AND 4 ACRES.
4 greenhouses 18x40 with hot water boiler.
A gift at \$1,500.

MARIGOLD

4-ROOM COTTAGE WITH 2 LOTS.
chicken house and fruit trees. Only
14,000.

CADBORO BAY

4-ROOM DWELLING WITH BATHROOM.
1 and a 2-room cottage, lot 100x140. Price
\$2,500.

ESQUIMALT WATERFRONT

WELL-BUILT 4-ROOM BUNGALOW. A
snap at \$2,500.

HAMMOND REALTY

Ask for A. L. Part 1311 Douglas'

\$3800

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION GIVEN THIS

ultra-modern, new, cosy home. En-

trance hall to all rooms. Wood floor-

ing, built-in cupboards in living room.

Bright kitchen and dining room.

Huge full basement. Garage, cement

driveway and walk. CLOSE TO BEACH,

CARS AND SCHOOLS.

VICTORIA REALTY & BUILDING LIMITED

616 View Street Phone 3836

CORPORATION TOWNSHIP OF

ESQUIMALT

ASSESSMENT, 1929

Assessment Notices have been mailed

to all persons whose names appear on

the Assessment Roll for the year 1929

of the Corporation of the Township

of Esquimalt. Any such person who

has not received a notice should at

once notify the undersigned.

G. H. FULLER,

Assessor and Collector

December 20, 1928.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

HOUSES AND ACREAGE
(Continued)

**AN EXCELLENT
6-ROOM BUNGALOW**

THIS VERY DESIRABLE HOME IS SITU-
ATED ON THE best part of Island Road.
Just recently completed, very attractive and
of the latest design. Every room has
large windows, large open fireplaces.
The best of plumbing, shower bath, hard-
wood floors, sunroom and a splendid base-
ment. Furniture and site. An exception-
ally fine lot with massive oak trees.
Price, on terms.

BARGAIN IN
BURNSIDE ROAD
DWELLING

ON BURNSIDE ROAD, NEAR HARRIET
Road, an acre lot with dry and with a view of
Rocky Hill. All modern conveniences, in-
cluding 3-piece bathroom, basement, etc.
Very nice. Large house, 23 tons hay, two
dogs, birds, all implements, etc. Plenty of
additional pasture nearby. Near stores,
school and sea. \$6,500. very easy terms.

SMITH & SONS

1112 Government St. Phone 1476 or 1501.

THE GUMPS—THE TONGUE OF THE SERPENT



Fowler. There will be a special musical programme.

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OBITUARY

Funeral services were held at the Sands Funeral Chapel this morning over the late Albert Brown, Rev. F. A. Chadwick conducted the burial service and interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Word was received from England this morning of the death of George C. Parsons of Birmingham, England who passed away on Monday evening. Mr. Parsons was the father of Edward Parsons, organist at the Metropolitan

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NEWS IN BRIEF

John Branson, who pleaded guilty to driving an automobile without a license, was fined \$5 in City Police Court this morning.

The Real Estate Board of Victoria will meet at Spencer's Restaurant on Friday at 12:30 noon to discuss the Early Closing Bill, and a rental survey report submitted by D. Leeming.

John Cestor, who was found dead at 831 John Street, Monday morning, came to his death through natural causes, a coroner's jury, sitting in McCall's Funeral Home this morning decided.

Judgment was reserved by the B.C. Court of Appeal yesterday in the appeal of William Cosgrove Bell against a twelve months' sentence imposed by Magistrate Shaw of Vancouver on a charge of defrauding creditors.

The Starry Heavens will be the subject of an illustrated lecture to be delivered at the Douglas Street Baptist Church by Prof. W. E. Harper, president of the Dominion Astronomical Society, to-morrow at 7:30 p.m.

Through the courtesy of David Spencer Ltd., a home coming will be held Saturday next in aid of the juvenile S.O.E. Football Club. Friends wishing to donate are asked to phone 5527.

Sieg, a Chinese, was arrested in City Police Court this morning charged with stealing merchandise under the value of \$10 from the General Warehouse Limited. He asked for a remand until to-morrow which was granted.

Charged with supplying liquor to a man, H. R. Beaman, Aceman on the steamer Princess Mary, was arraigned in City Police Court this morning. R. G. Lowe, who appeared for the accused, asked for a remand, the hearing being set for February 4.

Capt. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal of North Vancouver, is asking the Government in the Legislature for figures showing how many returned soldiers there were on the payroll of the Public Works and Lands Department and the Provincial Police on August 20, 1928, and how many have been dismissed since then.

If the Dominion Plant Pathological Laboratory is not permanently established at the University of British Columbia it will be established at an early date at the Experimental Farm at Summerland. The Victoria Chamber of Commerce has been advised. The letter is sent in reply to representations made by the chamber.

"The Problems of Provincial Education," the subject of an address to be given by Prof. T. R. Beckwith before the Men's Parish Guild of Christ Church-Cathedral, at the Memorial Hall on Thursday at 8 p.m. The organization was created five years ago, and is fast adding to its membership. An open invitation to men of the parish to attend has been issued in regard to the Thursday gathering, by Capt. Brown's chairman.

Another indication of the steady growth in Victoria and vicinity in regard to population is reported in the annual statement for the operation of the city waterworks. In 1928, 204 new services are reported for dwellings erected in Victoria and vicinity during the year. The total number of services now supplied is 11,916, a gain from 11,712 in the year before. The figures have reference only to direct services from the city's mains, exclusive of other municipalities.

The funeral of John Thomas Powell, who passed away last Sunday morning, took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. A large number of friends were present, and the coffin was covered with beautiful flowers. Rev. A. R. Ranney officiated. Burial took place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Edward N. Phelan, manager of the Retail Trade Bureau of Seattle, will address the retail merchants' section of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon meeting at the chamber to-morrow at 12:15 o'clock. Mr. Phelan will talk on problems of retailers.

The Early Closing By-Law and the proposed Street Sign By-Law will also be discussed. The meeting is open to all retailers of the city and to facilitate catering arrangements those planning to attend are asked to notify the Chamber of Commerce before 5:30 p.m. to-morrow.

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Claiming unacted damages for personal injuries received in a motor car accident, Arthur W. Arnup has filed a writ against the Veteran Sightseeing and Transportation Company Limited, in the Supreme Court this week. The plaintiff claims receipt of injuries through alleged negligence on the part of the defendant.

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SIDE GLANCES — By George Clark

To-morrow's Horoscope

Friendly stars rule to-day, according to astrologists which finds the dominating planetary aspects benevolent.

There is a sign most encouraging for

dealings with professional persons or artists. Musicians are subject to a lucky sway.

Men are under a rule of the stars that seems most favorable to their material progress.

The signs appear to presage the greatest artistic awakening in the United States where the new architecture is destined to gain lasting fame.

It is a favorable wedding day, making one more successful in his relationship. Women are particularly lucky in their choice and may be inclined to rule, it is foretold.

This should be a fortunate rule under which to begin constructive or productive work of any sort.

Engineers and builders

will be a symbol of the spiritual perception which will be evident in literature as well as music and painting.

Wealth is to increase so amazingly that

enterprises for the public good, and philanthropy is to become more general and more practical than ever before.

Business should be good.

Light will be used in many novel ways,

again is foreshadowed, and again the seers

prophecy scientific discoveries of startling

successes which friendship contributes much.

New environment is indicated for many

children born during the present year.

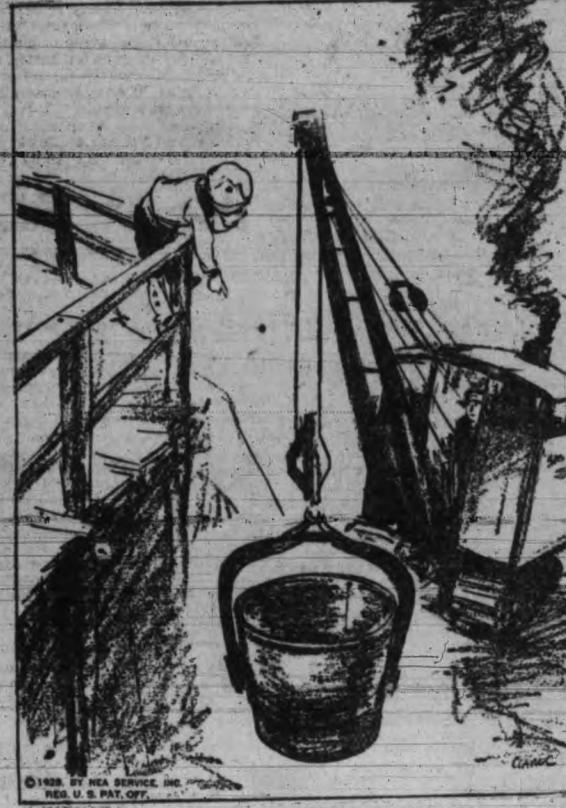
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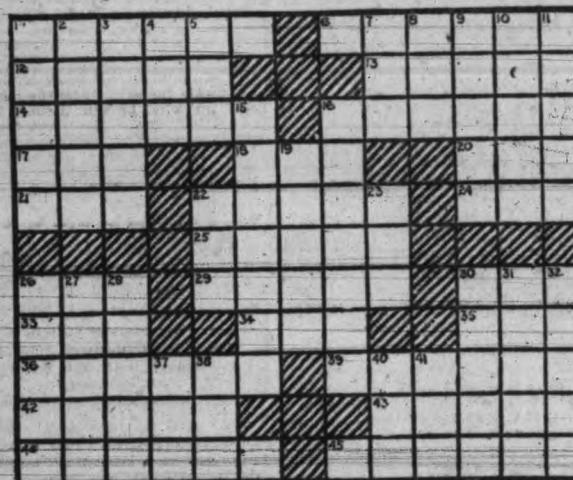
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- Coarse.
- Score card.
- More common.
- Adversary.
- To deduce.
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- Scallop.
- Before.
- Place of business.
- To make a mistake.
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- Mineral spring.
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- Horse, used to regulate speed of other horses.
- To evade.
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- Wrath.
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- To get up.
- Starting bar.
- Oblivious.
- Not artificial.
- Runs off the track as a train.
- Fingernail skeleton.

- Perched.
- Measure of cloth.
- Kind of mast (PL).
- Sudden overpowering fright.
- Shame.
- To pander.
- A species of parsley.
- Walked.
- Small bird of the cuckoo family.
- Opposite of bottom.
- Striped camel's hair cloth.

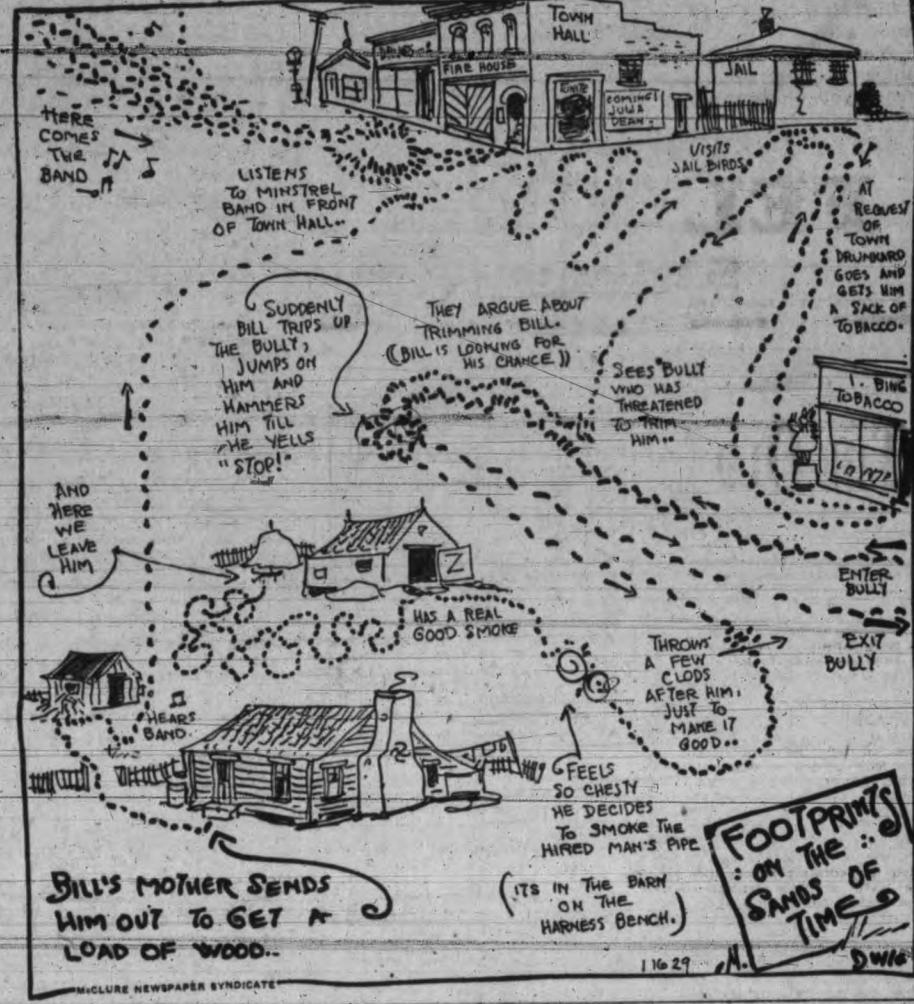
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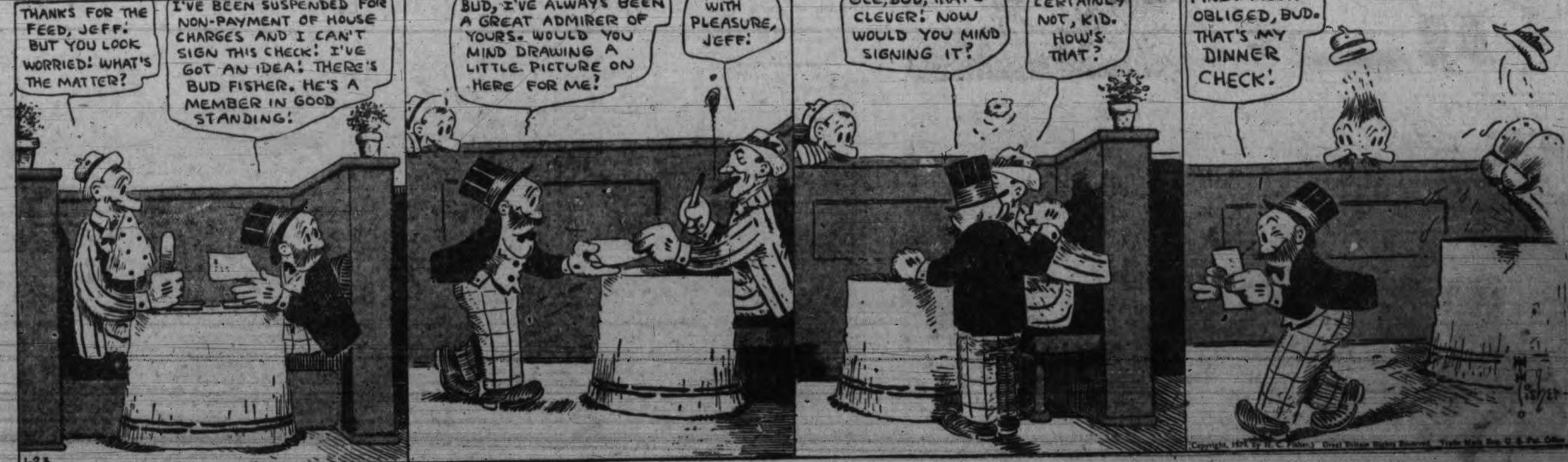
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MUTT AND JEFF—Oh, Well! That's One On Me



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NUOD SPEAR END
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OFF CENSURE ME
RAT METRE CAN
EMIT WIN MAYO
LIP FA A POT
FIN HOLLAND RE
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzles

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